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In re Application of: )  
Raffaello Giorgi et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1653  
Serial No.: 09/355,210 ) Examiner: Lukton, D.  
PCT No.: PCT/EP98/00599 )

For: **MONOCYCLIC COMPOUNDS WITH FOUR BIFUNCTIONAL RESIDUES**

New York, NY 10036  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR §1.136(a))**

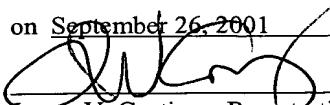
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